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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR UN XF

SUBJ: GENEVA PEACE CONFERENCE

REF: USUN 5426

1. DURING MEETING WITH SYG (URQUHART ALSO PRESENT) TODAY  
WE READ LATEST TELEGRAM FROM UN GENEVA REP WINSPEARE ABOUT  
DETAILS FOR CONFERENCE.

2. MOST IMPORTANT SINGLE ITEM FROM UN POINT OF VIEW WAS  
WHETHER ARABIC WOULD BE USED AS ONE OF CONFERENCE LANGUAGES.  
UN HAS NO ARABIC INTERPRETERS AND WOULD HAVE TO OBTAIN THEM  
FROM ARAB LEAGUE WHICH WOULD REQUIRE SEVERAL DAYS NOTICE.

3. REGARDING SEATING, WINSPEARE PROPOSES FIVE POSSIBILITIES  
OF HEPTAGONAL ARRANGEMENT WITH SYG ALWAYS IN SAME POSITION:

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A) ALPHABETICAL IN ENGLISH

B) ALPHABETICAL IN FRENCH

C) PERMANENT MEMBERS OPPOSITE SYG WITH OTHERS ARRANGED  
ALPHABETICALLY

D) PERMANENT MEMBERS ON EACH SIDE OF SYG WITH OTHERS  
ALPHABETICALLY

E) PERMANENT MEMBERS INTERSPRESED AMONG OTHERS

4. IF CONFERENCE OPENS WITH PUBLIC MEETING, UN PREPARED  
TO GIVE SPACE TO ABOUT 200 JOURNALISTS AND CAN TAKE CARE  
OF ALL PERMREPS (ABOUT 100) TO GENEVA UN HEADQUARTERS AS  
WELL AS SWISS GOVT AUTHORITIES.  
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